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VIA ECFS

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Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: *Applications of AT&T Inc. and DIRECTV for Consent to Assign or Transfer
Control of Licenses and Authorizations, MB Docket No. 14-90***
NOTICE OF *EX PARTE* PRESENTATION
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Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Thursday, May 21, 2015, representatives of AT&T Inc. (“AT&T”) and DIRECTV (collectively, the “Applicants”) met with Federal Communications Commission (“FCC”) staff to discuss AT&T’s proposed acquisition of DIRECTV. The following individuals participated in the meeting:

- AT&T: Wayne Watts, Senior Executive Vice President and General Counsel, James W. Cicconi, Senior Executive Vice President – External and Legislative Affairs, John Donovan, Senior Executive Vice President – Technology and Operations, David R. McAtee II, Senior Associate General Counsel, Robert Quinn, Jr., Senior Vice President – Federal Regulatory and Chief Privacy Officer, David Lawson, Senior Vice President and Assistant General Counsel, and Hank Hultquist, Vice President – Federal Regulatory, of AT&T; and Maureen Jeffreys of Arnold & Porter LLP.
- DIRECTV: Larry Hunter, Executive Vice President and General Counsel and Stacy Fuller, Vice President – Regulatory Affairs, of DIRECTV; and William Wiltshire of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP.
- Commission: Elizabeth Andrion (by phone), Jim Bird, Tim Brennan, Robert Cannon, Octavian Carare, Jamillia Ferris, Brendan Holland, Scott Jordan, William Lake, Charles Mathias, Eric Ralph, Jonathan Sallet, Susan Singer, Christopher Sova, and Sarah Whitesell.

During the meeting, we discussed the substantial, direct and verifiable benefits that the AT&T/DIRECTV merger will deliver to tens of millions of consumers. The combined company will have strong incentives to support and promote online video distributor (“OVD”) services

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that both stand-alone and bundle consumers increasingly demand. As set forth in the attached Highly Confidential presentation discussed during the meeting, AT&T has recently entered a number of peering, managed Internet service, and innovative OVD distribution agreements, and is pursuing other similar arrangements, that will further ensure consumers will be able to enjoy seamless and high-quality OVD services.

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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